

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Portrait of Humboldt.—Mr. G. Fritz, of this city, has the agency for the sale of a well-finished portrait of Baron Humboldt. The price at which it is offered, \$1, should find for it a place in every house where the writings or the fame of this distinguished scholar and traveler is familiar.

Mr. Fritz will also furnish a copper-plate portrait of Baron Steuben, the friend and counselor of Washington and the devotee to American freedom.

A copy of the portrait of Baron Humboldt may be seen at this office.

SOONER CAME MILL.—We have been advertising for a week or two past a mill manufactured by Harris, Guild & Co., of this city, at the Rock River Iron Works, for crushing and extracting the juice of the Chinese sugar cane. It consists wholly of iron, and its strength may be inferred by the appearance of a stick of oak, two inches in thickness, which has been passed through it. This stick is mashed almost to a pulp, and the strength which would reduce it to the condition in which it is now, may be ample to extract all the liquid from a stick of the sugar cane. The construction and material of this machine is such that it cannot be otherwise than durable, and to those who raise the cane it must prove very desirable and serviceable. We recommend all who desire to purchase a mill of this character to examine the one to which we have alluded.

Mons. or THEM.—Besides the places mentioned yesterday, where the calathumpians paraded, we see notices of their performance at Monroe and Madison.

BETTER LUCK THAN OURS.—One of the editors of the Bloomington Pantograph acknowledges the receipt of a half of lettuce a little less in size than a small wash tub. We came very near a similar donation from S. K. Clarke, who supposed he had, (and we are willing to believe he really did) something worth bragging about. While on his way to our office, however, he fell in with C. R. Gibbs, who appropriated to his own use the vegetable phenomenon. Under these circumstances, we deem it proper to give notice that the relation of principal and deputy between "the Judge" and himself expired on the first day of January last, and that "the Judge" is not authorized to receive cabbages, potatoes, green peas, or other early garden "base" on our account and for our benefit.

N. B.—This notification is not designed to forbid the payment to him of any unpaid register's fees which may be outstanding in which we have any interest.

A REVIEW AFTER THE FOURTH.—The Free Democrat called the muster roll of its printers on the morning of the 5th, and ascertained the following condition of the "corps"—killed, none; wounded, one; missing, four.

We can make a better report of the Gazette force: killed, none; wounded, none; missing, none; sober, all.

Curtis' Drug Store.—The arrival of Curtis' new stock fills up an assortment that was getting minus several needed articles. His friends and customers can now call on him with the assurance that they will find what they call for. Curtis is doing an increasing business, and no man deserves it better.

A BLIND GIRL.—A correspondent of the Milwaukee Sentinel, writing from Fond du Lac, tells one of the incidents that attracted his attention:

One evening when strolling over the beautiful prairie near the city, I met from a neighbor in a house where I found one of the most remarkable children in the world. It is a little blind girl, nine years old, named Emma Jane Kendall. Not more than one in five hundred, of educated ladies, can entertain a person in conversation as well as she does. Her voice is as sweet as a bird's song, her language the choicest, without the slightest hesitation or effort that good speakers often make in selecting their words, and her conversation almost faultless, unswerving and continual. She has always been entirely blind, yet any object whatever that we understand only by sight, she seems to fully and accurately comprehend, and express herself concerning it as if she was looking right at it. She is sure she knows just how everything and every person looks that she has been brought in contact with. She has been taught all that children of her age usually are, at the Illinois asylum at Jacksonville, and will return there in September. It is a pleasure to think I shall meet her there next fall. Her education and perfectly lady-like manners, say a great deal for that institution.

NEW WHEAT.—The first car of new wheat in Chicago was received on the 5th inst., shipped from Perry county, Illinois. Messrs. Gage & Heath, the purchasers, at \$1.25 per bushel on track. The berry, though plump, is small and very cherry, and the price is a very large one for the quality.

SALE OF THE HOLLAND HOUSE.—The Holland House, in Rockford, has been sold under a mortgage for \$16,000. The original cost was over \$40,000.

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF FLOUR.—Jackson, Alden & Co., advertise another reduction in the price of flour. For particulars, see their advertisement.

THE IMPERIAL GUARD.—The Imperial guard numbered from 20,000 to 25,000 men, and forms a body by itself, not being reckoned as a part of any corps. It originated in the first Italian campaign of Napoleon I., after the taking of Milan, when the French were in pursuit of the retreating Austrians near the river Mincio. The circumstances of this campaign are narrated by Abbott, in his "Life of Bonaparte."

"Though the Austrians were some fifteen thousand strong, and though they had partially demolished the bridge, the march of Napoleon was retarded scarcely an hour. Napoleon was that day sick, suffering from a violent headache. Having crossed the river, and concerted all his plans for the pursuit of the flying enemy, he went into an old castle by the river side to try the effect of a foot bath. He had sent a small retinue with him, his troops being dispersed in pursuit of the fugitives. He had but just placed his feet in the warm water when he heard the loud clatter of horses' hoofs, as a squadron of Austrian dragoons galloped into the courtyard. The sentinel at the door shouted, "To arms! to arms! the Austrians!" Napoleon sprang from the bath, hastily drew on one boot, and with the other in his hand, leaped from the window, escaped through the back gate to the garden, mounted a horse and galloped to Napoleon's division, who were cooking their dinner at a little ways from the castle. The appearance of their Commander-in-Chief among them in such a plight roused the soldiers from their camp kettles, and they rushed in pursuit of the Austrians, who, in their turn, retreated. This personal risk induced Napoleon to establish a bodyguard, to consist of five hundred veterans of at least ten years' service, who were ever to accompany him. This was the origin of the Imperial Guard, which, in the subsequent wars of Napoleon, obtained such a world-wide reputation."

"John, did you ever bet on a horse race?" "No, but I've seen my sister Bet on an old mare."

MORSE & BROTHER.

DRY GOODS.—We have this day received from Hargrett & Co's Great Package Auction Sale, in New York City, and from the auction sales in New York, Boston and Philadelphia, 100 cases of Rich, Choice, Foreign and Domestic Spring and Summer Dry Goods, Purchased for Cash within the last ten days, which we offer at 20 per cent cheaper than goods bought in the early part of the season, and at prices never before known in this city, than

DEFEAT ALL COMPETITION!

6000 Yds. Rich Summer DRESS SILKS, at 20 cents and upwards—all shades and styles received and opened this day at Morse & Bro's Popular One Price Store.

3000 Yds. Beautiful Foulards, AT GREAT BARGAINS.

2000 Yds. of Grenadines, AT SPLENDID BARGAINS, received this day at Morse & Bro's.

8000 Yds. Beautiful French Challies, AT 15 cents—Worth 25 cents.

4000 Yds Rich Warranted Fast Col'd Lawns, AT ONE SHILLING, worth Two Shillings.

Summer Valenciennes, ORGANDIES, MUSLINS—PLAIN, FIG'D, STRIPED, DERAGES AND SUMMER TRAVELLING Dress Goods, of every description, received and opened for sale this day, cheaper than ever before offered in this market, at Morse & Bro's Cheap Store.

Stella Shawls—all colors, Black Thibet and Black Silk Shawls, in great variety, from auction, which we will sell at one-half their value, received this day at Morse & Bro's.

\$10,000 Worth of Scotch, Swiss, and French Embroideries!! in course and fine work, besides

A LARGE STOCK OF RICH LACES! WHITE GOODS, HOISERY, GLOVES, &c., from auction, at one-half the cost of importation, received this day at Morse & Bro's.

CLOTHES, VESTINGS, CASSIMERES, SUMMER STUFFS, HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, LINENS, TABLE DAMASKS, NAPKINS, DOYLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE BOUND TO DO IT.

WE HAVE PURCHASED VERY LARGE LOTS OF SPRING GOODS the present season, and in order to realize the large amount of trade we have done for the past two months, we will have on hand a heavy stock, which owing to the rapid advance of the summer season, we are determined to close out within the next thirty days at any sacrifice.

To demonstrate the above fact, we quote prices as follows:

Silks! Silks! We will sell beautiful Foulard Silks, latest spring style, sold last week at 65 cents per yard, now only 50 cents.

All our Spring Silks at an equal reduction.

Bargain and shall be Laid! Sold by us since April 1st, from 17 to 24 cents, we will now sell at One Shilling per yard. All our

FINEST FRENCH CHALLIES in dress patterns, sold from 25 to 37 1/2 cents, we will now sell at 20 cents per yard. All our best

Do Laines, consisting of Hamilton, Pacific, English and French, we will sell at one shilling and six pence per yard.

Lawns, Lawns, Lawns. Three Cases of best English Lawns, WARRANTED FAST COLORS! Worth in any store in the United States 15 1/2 cents, we will sell at the small sum of 8 1/2 cents.

Prints, Prints, Prints. Ten Cases of new Prints, consisting of All the Fine Prints in Market! Including the new American Print, sold by us at 15 cents, now only 10 cents per yard.

TEN CASES OF GOOD PRINTS, fast colors, now offered at 8 cents per yard. All our 8 cent prints now only 6 1/2 cents per yard.

Bonnets, Bonnets, Bonnets. One thousand Bonnets at 6 1/4 cents each! A large lot of children's shakers at 12 1/2 cents each. We are just in receipt of 100 bales of that famous

GRASS CLOTH! sold by us last year at 3 cents per yard, which we will continue to sell for the same small amount.

100 DOZ. BLACK SILK LACE MITTS AT 12 1/2 CENTS PR. PAIR! We have also a large lot of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Embroideries, &c. A full line of dress trimmings, fringes, &c., &c.

Shawls, Mantillas and Vestities. A large stock of

LINEN GOODS! Damask, Table Cloths, Napkins, Dollies, together with a full assortment of domestics, all of which will be sold at equally reduced prices.

THIS is an especially rare opportunity to the ladies of Jacksonville and vicinity, of purchasing goods at so great a reduction from original prices, and as we anticipate a great rush during the period of this sale, we recommend all who wish to avail themselves of this chance, to come soon. We are willing to give equal advantages to our numerous customers, but whoever comes first will have the best stock to select from.

Findings that our present store was too limited for our various and extensive stock, we have been compelled to remove

OUR BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT to the Millinery Store OPPOSITE THE JEWELRY STORE of WEBB & LEE, and where we will be happy to meet our old patrons in that line of business, and at 25 cents per pair, and others in proportion.

In our clothing store on the west side of Main St., will be found a complete assortment of

Men's and Boys' Clothing, suitable for the present season; also a variety of cloths, cassimers and vestings, which we manufacture to order in good style.

A large lot of Black Silk Shawls, which are usually sold for \$5.00, offered by us at \$3.00.

NEW ARRIVALS. Jacksonville, May 2nd, 1859.

POPULAR TRADE.

Great Second Arrival OF SUMMER MERCHANDISE! AT THE NEW YORK CASH STORE.

WE are now receiving our Second stock of Spring and Summer Merchandise, having it within the last two weeks in New York at the great clearing out auction sale, at a great 15 per cent below the early spring prices. We shall now offer our entire stock of summer goods at less prices than ever before offered for them who bought early in the season, and entirely new styles of goods.

50 Pa. FRENCH ORGANDI ROBES A Deux Jup. FOR FIVE DOLLARS—WORTH TEN!

200 Pieces Elegant Fast Col'd Printed Lawns and Muslins, at 1s.—worth 2s.

200 Pieces Beautiful Challis at 15s.—worth 20c.

The most splendid assortment of DRESS GOODS to be found in this city.

STELLA SHAWLS. A splendid line of Stella Shawls

AT VERY LOW PRICES Real Lace Capes and Shawls, the most magnificent goods of this kind to be found in this city.

At Any Price.

PARASOLS! 1000 Parasols Just Received. Which we will warrant 25 per cent cheaper than can be bought at any other store in this city.

BLACK SILKS. A splendid line of Plain and Figured Black Silks, THIS DAY RECEIVED.

Bonnets and Ribbons. PARTICULAR NOTICE TO MILLINERS. Just received, a very large assortment of Bonnets and Ribbons, bought at the great clearing out auction sale, and which we will sell at 25 per cent cheaper by the Cartons, or piece, than the price two months since.

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings. The most magnificent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings to be found in this city, now arriving, which we are anxious to realize to our credit at the lowest prices. We would call the particular attention of gentlemen to some

ENTIRELY NEW STYLES of French Cassimeres for business suits, which arrived in New York last week in the steamer Vaucluse, and just received by us. They are of the latest style, and of the best quality. SUPERIOR IN STYLE AND QUALITY TO ANY GOODS IN THIS MARKET!

Our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats and Caps, and Sewing Goods, at the present time, is much the largest and extensive to be found in this city, and we will sell for cash, and on other ways, at prices that will defy all competition in this city.

NEW ARRIVALS. N. C. BROTHER & CO. Jacksonville, June 8, 1859.

BOOTS AND SHOES! A New and Full Assortment Just Received, AT HEMMING & THOMAS.

If you want to buy your boots and shoes, call on H. T. M., where you will find a full assortment of

Boots and Shoes, MEN'S GAITERS, Ladies' Gaiters, and the finest class of Goods that were ever brought to this market, which we will sell cheaper than any establishment in the city of Jacksonville or Rock County. Our terms are Cash, and nothing else. Call and see for yourselves.

HEMING & THOMAS, 207 P. P. Remember to call on us—West Milwaukee St., two doors west of the Big Mill. J. H. M.

WATCHES & JEWELRY

WEBB & LEE AT THEIR NEW STORE, West Corner of Lippin's Block.

NEW GOODS! JUST RECEIVED. Assortment Complete.

WATCHES, WATCHES! GOLD & SILVER CASES, American, English, & Swiss Movements.

JEWELRY OF THE LATEST AND MOST APPROVED STYLES.

SILVER WARE Pure as Coin

PLATED WARE! A LARGE VARIETY AND LATE PATTERNS.

Table and Pocket Cutlery, CLOCKS, OF ALL THE BEST MAKERS, AND WARRANTED.

FANCY GOODS, A LARGE ASSORTMENT.

REVOLVERS, COLT'S BEAVER, AND OTHER CELEBRATED PATENTS.

REPAIRING. All kinds of fine Watches repaired in the best manner and warranted to give satisfaction.

JEWELRY Made and repaired on short notice.

Engraving Done to order, and in style to please.

WEBB & LEE, apr23dwt West corner Lippin's Block.

Brownson's Tobacco

A SUPERIOR ARTICLE, just received and for the pound or paper, at the CITY DRUG STORE, West Milwaukee St. J. H. M.

A. BLADE & CO.

BEE HIVE! ON MAIN STREET Are now opening the largest stock of **SPRING DRY GOODS!** Ever displayed in Jacksonville, which they will sell at **EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.**

A. BLADE & CO., Have just received an extensive assortment of **Dress Goods.** Comprising in part

200 pieces Poit de Cheures, beautiful Challies—cheap, 200 " Spring Delaines—new style, 180 " new style of Lawns, at 10 cts., 100 " fine Lawns, at Darguin, 50 " Hople's prints—splendid patterns, Brage and Challie robes—new styles.

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J. M. HASELTON & CO.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE Will attend to sales of Merchandise generally Stocks, Bonds, Real Estate, &c., making prompt returns for all sales. Liberal Cash Advances made on Consignments. I will furnish correct Abstracts of Title to property in Rock County, also attend to payment of Tax Court judgments, &c.

WE WOULD BEGR LEAVE TO SAY, THAT IF YOU WILL BE SICK, go to the People's Drug Store FOR YOUR MEDICINES.

When wanting Paina, Oils, Colors or Varnishes, go to the PEOPLE'S STORE, directly opposite the Hyatt House.

When in want of Perfumery, Toilet Articles, Combs and Brushes of any kind, Hair Dressing, Porte Monies, Fancy Fixings, Lubin's Karyoline, &c., go to the PEOPLE'S STORE, West Milwaukee Street, where you can find a good assortment at fair prices.

Every thing \$1.00—Better than any Kerosene Oil ever got up for sale at

THE MERCHANT'S EXCHANGE! BY S. K. CLARKE, IS LOCATED ON MAIN STREET, IN BARNETT'S BLOCK—UNDER DEWEY & BOSTWICK'S STORE, Opposite Union American Building.

THE EXCHANGE has lately been Fitted up in the Best Style and is supplied with

ESTABLISHMENTS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION dressed up in the best style, together with the Finest Brand Cigars and Tobacco, Fruits, Nuts, Confectionery, &c.

A supply of SANDS XXX CREAM ALE! is constantly on draught at the Exchange, fresh from the manufacturer, for which Mr. Clarke has the sole agency, and is prepared to contract for any amount, as well as to be delivered by express. As a place of resort, the Exchange will be surpassed by none in the city. I return my thanks for the patronage already bestowed, and solicit a continuance of the favors of the public.

WALL PAPER! FIRST OF THE SEASON. A LARGE supply of New Spring Style of Wall Paper, received and for sale at SUTHERLAND'S BOOKSTORE, March 10, 1859.

JOHN WHITE Manufacturer & Repairer OF JEWELRY! GOLD AND SILVER BANDS PUT ON MEERSCHAUM PIPES! WATCH CASES neatly REPAIRED.

WORK DONE ON SHORT NOTICE with neatness and dispatch, and on most reasonable terms. To be found at the office of Dr. L. Arnold, over Mosley's Bookstore, West Milwaukee Street, a short distance.

New Goods and New Styles. BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

REYNOLDS & VANDERWAF, Are now opening and receiving weekly, their new and complete assortment of

Boots, Shoes and Fine Gaiters, which they offer for CASH, as Cheap as the Cheapest, at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, WEST MILWAUKEE STREET, THREE DOORS EAST OF THE BRIDGE.

Our Stock Consists Entirely of Home Made Work!

Manufactured expressly for this market, and our long acquaintance with the wants of the Wholesale and Retail Trade, enable us to adapt the

STYLE, SIZES AND QUALITY of our goods, to the tastes and necessities of the community, to a degree that is not even approached in the eastern markets. We manufacture all our own work, believing, as we do, that

can be sold in this as well as any other market. No Eastern Store could work around in our store. We invite the particular attention of the Ladies to our

New Patterns of Gaiters, which for Style, Durability and Price, cannot be equalled. We are ready to order, all kinds of

